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For: **PATTERNING APPARATUS AND FILM PATTERNING**

**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE TO THE RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**  
**DATED November 15, 2004**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Official Action dated **November 15, 2004**.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2  
of this paper.

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